## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA for the use of WALTHAM LIME & CEMENT COMPANY, Plaintiff,

v.

Civil Action No. 1:05-cv-10138 NG

PEABODY CONSTRUCTION CO., INC., ODF CONTRACTING CO., INC., HOON COMPANIES, INC. and TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA, Defendants.

## ASSENTED-TO MOTION REQUESTING EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO MOTION TO DISMISS OF TRAVELERS CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY OF AMERICA

Plaintiff Waltham Lime & Cement Company ("Waltham Lime") hereby moves this Court for an extension of time, through and including August 17, 2005, to file its response to the Motion to Dismiss of Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America ("Motion to Dismiss") in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of this motion, Waltham Lime state as follows:

- 1. Waltham Lime filed its Complaint in this matter on January 21, 2005.
- 2. After numerous extensions, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America ("Travelers") by way of response to the Complaint filed its Motion To Dismiss on the basis of the statute of limitations on July 13, 2005.
- 3. This is the first request for an extension of time to respond to the Motion To Dismiss.

- 4. Waltham Lime states that its counsel has not been able to complete the opposition because of other professional and personal commitments, and requires limited additional time to complete and file an opposition. Waltham Lime does not seek to delay the proceedings, but rather simply requires a brief extension to complete the opposition papers.
- 5. Counsel for Defendants Travelers, Peabody Construction Co., Inc., and Hoon Companies, Inc. assent to the relief requested herein.

WHEREFORE, Waltham Lime respectfully request that this Honorable Court to grant Waltham Lime an extension of time, through and including August 17, 2005, to file its response to the Motion To Dismiss of Defendant Travelers Casualty And Surety Company Of America.

Respectfully Submitted,

WALTHAM LIME & CEMENT COMPANY

By their attorneys,

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